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Prior Application:

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Sir:

Transmitted herewith for filing is a divisional under 37 C.F.R 1.53b, of pending prior Application Serial Number 09/712,002 filed on November 14, 2000 of Daniel L. Flynn, Jeffery Zablocki, Kenneth Williams, Susan L. Hockerman entitled ELECTROPHILIC KETONES FOR THE TREATMENT OF HERPESVIRUS INFECTIONS.

- [X] Enclosed is a copy of the prior application, including the Oath of Declaration as originally filed March 19, 1996 and the Assignment as originally filed March 19, 1996 (Reel/Frame: 8138/0345). I hereby verify that the attached papers are a true copy of said prior application as originally filed on November 14, 2000.
- [X] Cancel in this application, original Claims 1-34 of the prior application before calculating the filing fee. (At least one original, independent claim must be retained for filing purposes)
- [X] Amend the specification by inserting before the first line of the sentence: --This application is a divisional application of U.S. application Ser. No. 09/712,002, filed November 14, 2000, now allowed, which is a continuation of application Serial Number 09/221,016 filed on December 23, 1998, which is a continuation of application Serial No.08/620,681, filed March 19, 1996, now abandoned.--
- [X] A preliminary amendment is enclosed
- [X] The filing fee is calculated below:

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- [X] Please charge the above calculated total fee to my Deposit Account No. 19-1025.
- [X] The Commissioner is hereby authorized and requested to charge any fees in addition to the above as well as all future fees set forth in 37 CFR 1.16 and 1.17 which may be required during the entire pendency of this Application, and credit any overcharges to Deposit Account No. $\underline{19-1025}$ [37 CFR 1.25(b)].

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- [] Transfer the drawings from the prior application to this application and abandon said prior application as of the filing date accorded this application. ANOTHER DUPLICATE COPY OF THIS SHEET IS ENCLOSED FOR FILING IN THE PRIOR APPLICATION FILE.
- [] New formal drawings are enclosed.
- [] Priority of Application Serial No. _____, filed on _____ in ____ in ____ (country) is claimed under 35 U.S.C. 119.
- [] The certified copy of the priority application has been filed in prior Application Serial No. ______, filed _____.
- [X] The prior application is assigned of record to G. D. Searle & Co., P. O. Box 5110, Chicago, Illinois 60680.
- [X] The Power of Attorney in the prior application is to J. Timothy Keane, Registration Number 27,808.
- [X] The power appears in the original papers in the prior application.
- [] Since the power does not appear in the original papers, a copy of the power in the prior application is enclosed.
- [X] Enclosed is a copy of the Associate Power of Attorney from J. Timothy Keane to <u>Rachel A. Polster.</u>
- [X] Address all future communications to:

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The undersigned declares further that all statements made herein of his own knowledge are true and that all statements made on information and belief are believed to be true; and further that these statements were made with the knowledge that willful false statements and the like so made are punishable by fine or imprisonment, or both under Section 1001 of Title 18 of the United States Code and that such willful false statements may jeopardize the validity of the application or any patent issuing thereon.

Date: <u>October 30, 2003</u>

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